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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

- x Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 (10 pages); and
- x Application Data Sheet (7 pages).
- x Applicants claim small entity status.

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#### PENDING CLAIMS

	No. of current claims	Highest number previously paid for	No. extra	Small entity fee	Other entity fee
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### **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2004, entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.